

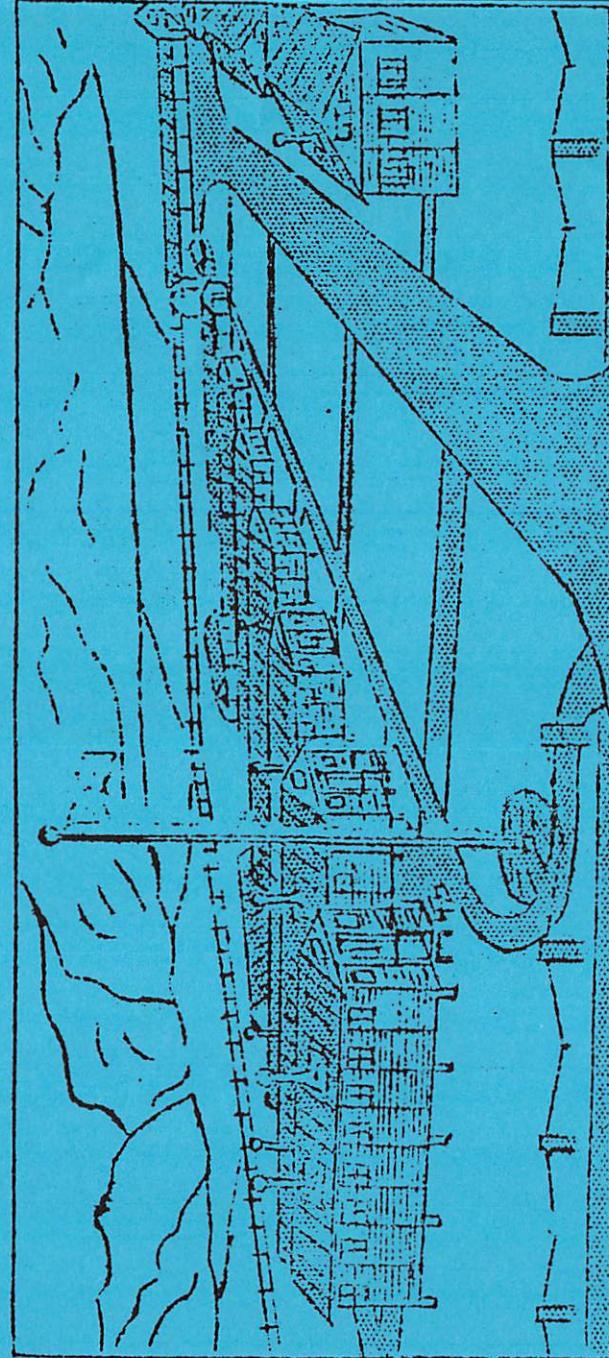
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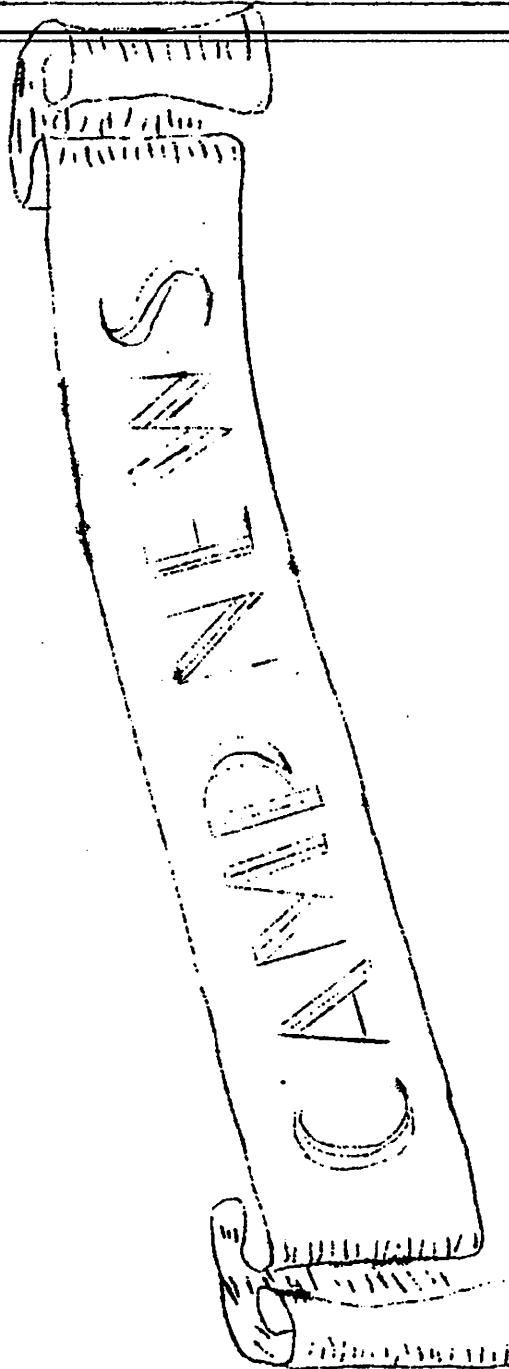
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The Civilian Conservation Corps has offered you all worth-while opportunities. Each of you have progressed and improved yourselves while in camp - a reasonable success is yours for the taking. You have been given training in specific fields that could not be obtained elsewhere other than the CCC. The self-confidence that you have acquired, physical and mental development, the courtesy, consideration and toleration of your fellow men, clean and regular living habits - all have prepared you for the future. Your success can be measured only by your initiative - keep that as an incentive to drive you forward.

To those leaving Company 4792 I would like to take this opportunity of saying farewell and to wish you all health, happiness and success. It has been a pleasure working with such a fine cooperating group of men.

LIEUT. ED. C. MCNAMARA
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CHAPLAIN CURTIS

Chaplain R.E. Curtis gave a lecture on Friday, September 9th., to members of Company 4792. The lecture was appropriate and well liked.

LIEUT. SCANLON

Lieut. Cecil M. Scanlon, Mess Officer for Company 4792, was transferred to the Willard, Utah, CCC Camp on September 20th. Lieut. George Eugene Kegin will replace him.

HOSPITAL NOTES

Harold Grain, member of Company 4792, was wounded accidentally in the abdomen, with a .32 calibre pistol while out target practicing Sunday, September 10th. The latest report from the Veterans' Hospital in Salt Lake City, to where he has been transferred, gave his condition as favorable and improving.

INSPECTORS

Captain Sessions, District Inspector, and Mr. E.W. Field,

District Educational Adviser, inspected camp on September 15th.

ENROLLEES LEAVING CAMP

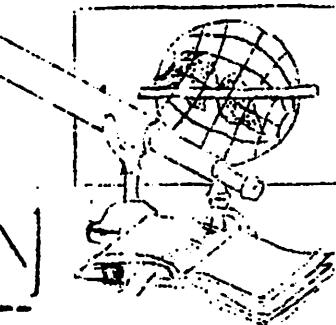
Eight members of Company 4792 will depart on Sunday 26th. for Missouri. On Tuesday Sept. 25, Thirty-four Arkansas boys will entrain for their home state. Replacements for those leaving will arrive in camp on or about October 1st.

CAMP IMPROVEMENTS

Approximately fifty enrollees have been busy two days of this week completing the preparation and seeding of the front area of the camp site. This seeding will complete all of the available lawn planting ground in the camp area. A gravel walk was also laid the entire length of the camp entrance and leading to the city sidewalk.

LIEUT. McNAMARA

Lieut. Ed. C. McNamara, Co. Commander, returned on Wednesday, September 7th., from an extended leave of absence.



EDUCATION

"ADIEU"

If you men leaving, have by following the daily schedule of camp life, built self-respect, developed your mind and body so that you can be better equipped to seize opportunities, it will be much easier for you to make your way in the world. If you have taken advantage of the opportunities offered in academic instruction from elementary through college grades, job training, vocational instruction, and supplementary reading courses, you will be prepared to better solve the problems that will confront you in the future.

Those of you remaining should take an inventory or self-appraisal of yourselves now - correct the defects so that when your time comes to depart from CCC life you will be prepared.

Through this medium I would like to bid you all that are leaving-a fond farewell, best of luck and happiness.

R.N. Jiacolelli
Camp E.A.

ALL THOSE INTERESTED IN PLAYING BASKETBALL MAKE YOUR DESIRES KNOWN TO THE EDUCATIONAL ADVISER!!!

FIRST AID CERTIFICATES

Seventeen enrollees took the written examination for First Aid Certificates on Tuesday, September 20th. Those making a passing grade and obtained a satisfactory rating in all the other requirements will be issued a certificate good for three years.

A new class in First Aid will begin immediately after the arrival of the replacements.

LOCAL PEOPLE TO ENTERTAIN

A group of people from Heber City will present a musical program to members of the company on Friday, September 23rd. If this program is well received a series of such will be given through the winter months. Show your appreciation to these people by a good attendance.

NEW SCHOOL TERM

A new schedule of classes will be organized to begin on October 1st., and to run through December. Those wishing to continue their present courses may do so. Additional classes can be taken, dropped or substituted.

A NEW TRAVELING LIBRARY IS EXPECTED WILL BE RECEIVED IN THE NEAR FUTURE.



BR NOTES

"AU REVOIR"

On behalf of the Bureau of Reclamation CCC personnel of Camp BR-64 join together to wish you enrollees who are going home a fond farewell and good luck. We appreciate your unselfish cooperation with us in the past months and we are sure that if you strive for the principles taught you in the Civilian Conservation Corps you will be ultimately successful. You have helped to make our safety record an outstanding one which has placed us on the honor roll. Your loyal support in the execution of the camp program deserves a high reward of merit.

We would like to see you stay on with us but we know that the only way to progress is to try your new found independence in the field of industry outside our province.

Our earnest hope is that we may be able to send home after the next enrollment period the same fine type of young manhood as you have proved yourselves to be. This is the aim of our program. YOUTH CONSERVATION!

By: R. BRINKMAN
CAMP SUPERINTENDENT

SAFETY FIRST

HOW MANY HURT

"Suppose," said I, "you chanced to see
A small boy tumble from a tree,
How would you tell that tale to me?"

"Why, Dad," said he, "I'd simply say
I saw a boy get hurt today
And two men carried him away."

"How many injured would there be?"
I asked. "Just one, of course," said he,
"The boy who tumbled from the tree."

"No, no," I answered him, "That fall
Which hurt the lad, brought pain to all
Who knew and loved that youngster small."

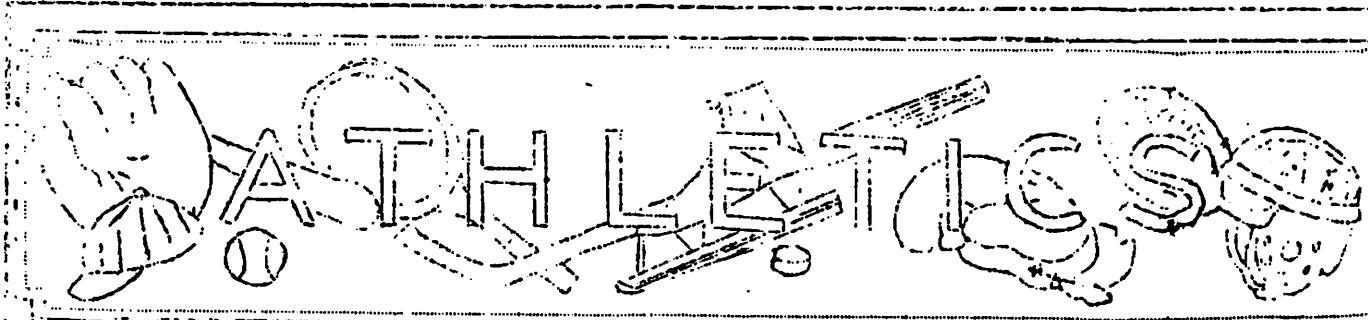
"His mother wept, his father sighed,
His brothers and sisters cried.
And all his friends were hurt inside."

"Remember this your whole live through--
"Remember this your whole live through--
Whatever hurts may come to you
Must hurt all who love you too."

"You cannot live your life alone,
We suffer with your slightest grown,
And make your pain or grief our own."

"If you should do one shameful thing,
You could not bear alone the sting,
We'd spend our years in suffering."

"How many hurt, we cannot state,
There never falls a blow of fate
But countless people feel its weight."



BASEBALL

The Heber Baseball team won the distinct honor of a place at the state tournament in Salt Lake City.

During the first half of the season the Heber team came out with a clean record but during the second half they tied with Nephi. In this play-off the Heber team won by a score of 16-13. The Heber team emerged with only three games lost out of the whole season of play.

In the state tournament the team lost out via the elimination route. The players have all been highly commended.

SOFTBALL

The camp Softball team played the last game of the season with Charleston on Monday, September 19th., and were defeated by a score of 10-4.

In the third and last round of play the C team split its wins and losses with four of each. Of all the games played during the season in the Heber Commercial Softball League the camp team would be tied for second place. All in all it has been a very successful season and the players can be given credit for their time and effort.

THE MISSOURI VOLLEY BALL TEAM WISHES TO TAKE THIS MEANS TO CHALLENGE THE KP TEAM IN A FINAL PLAY-OFF FOR CAMP HONORS.

BOXING

On Labor Day, Freddie Alexander and Bert Harris were signed to meet two of the best local fighters. Freddie's opponent failed to appear so Harry Justice substituted for a three round exhibition. Bert was knocked-out in the third round by a much more experienced boxer.

With High School boxing and local fight cards some very promising competition will be offered our fighters during the winter months. All men interested and wanting to participate should begin their training immediately.

BASKETBALL

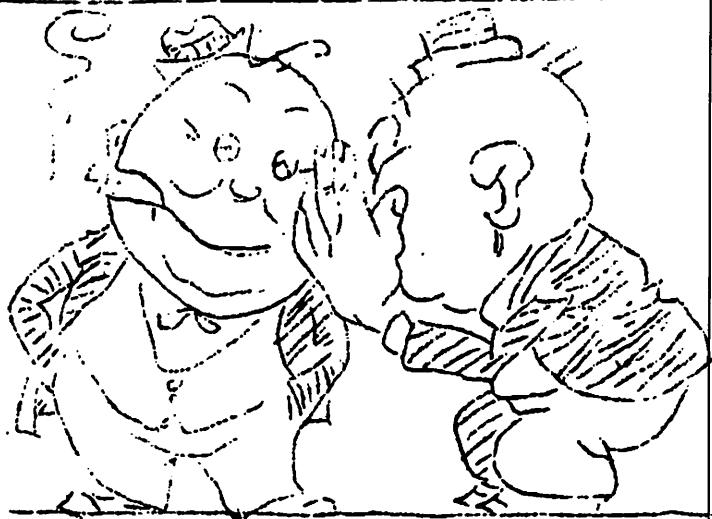
Arrangements can be made to rent the High School gymnasium during the winter. Practice will begin as soon as the season gets underway. There is a tentative plan being discussed to run a basketball tournament during the entire season to consist of teams from near-by towns and our camp.

Our last year season was very successful, but the competition will be even harder this year, so lets get out and work and make this an outstanding season in all sports.

PING-PONG

The ping-pong table has been remodeled and is ready for use. Kenneth Muffett claims the Camp Championship and is open to challenge from anyone at any time.

JOKES



Music Johnson says that women are just like street cars - they'll all take you for a ride.

Gal-- "If you keep on kissing me I'll start walking home."

J.B.-- "Oh, no, you won't! If I keep on kissing you, you'll stagger home."

Riley-- "Let me have a quarter to go to the show with."

Parker-- "What? A quarter to see the show, ~~and~~ here only last week you walked to town to see the store window displays. Do you want to make your life one perpetual round of gaiety?"

"There's one thing I'd like to know about H. Knox. Are his teeth even?"

"Even? Sure, he has two uppers and two lowers."

Camp-- "For two cents I'd marry you."

Girl-- "Really? Well, you have a dollar ninety-eight."

Camp-- "Sure, but a marriage license is two dollars!"

Flash-- "I haven't touched a drink in over two days."

J.B.-- "Neither have I, but don't you think we'd better knock on wood?"

Flash-- "Absolutely, let's go pound on a bar."

John-- "A shoe hit me the day I got married."

Coones-- "I bet your wife's dad had a hand in it!"

John-- "No, he had a foot in it."

"Say, Moran, how many women have you married?"

"Oh, I should say, a baker's dozen."

"Er--did the baker have any money?"

Muffett-- "For two cents, my pet, I'd kiss you to death."

Girl-- "Hooley, I've got a nickel. I want to commit suicide."

A CCC boy is one who'll dish out a line, soon in the park, make you fork over a couple of kisses and then knife you in the back when he goes out with another girl.

To be understood is to make sense. To make cents is to manufacture money. To manufacture money is 20 years in jail. Therefore what's the use of trying to make anybody understand you.

Angie-- How do like this soap?

Flemmer-- It tasted fine. You just come over to the kitchen and have lunch with us some day.

When a fellow's a poor fish, no girl ever bothers to get him canned.

CO. 4792 ROSTER

Akehurst, Clifford G.	Jane, Mo.
Black, Hurston L.	Hamburg, Ark.
Coones, Olin F.	Warsaw, Mo.
Householder, Bill H.	Milo, Mo.
Lawson, Meredith B.	Kansas City, Mo.
Lilly, Joseph E.	Hannibal, Mo.
Moran, Gene L.	Savannah, Mo.
North, Fred W.	Miami, Mo.
Rigg, James W.	Wellson, Mo.
Turston, James R.	Vanduser, Mo.
Adair, Claude L.	Montrose, Ark.
Alexander, Harry F.	Elvo, Mo.
Babb, Ernest Leo	Venice, California
Balluch, Thomas C.	Orion, Kansas
Bizzell, Hubert	Ward, Ark.
Brandt, John E.	Ea Grosse, Kansas
Camp, William E.	Pettis, Ark.
Cooksey, Albert W.	Forbes, Mo.
Fox, Richard N.	Mund City, Mo.
Garlock, Lawrence	Trenton, Mo.
Gross, Robert ^{co} Ann	Houston, Mo.
Hann, Barnard G.	Leonard, N.D.
Locally, Oekl	Reyville, Mo.
Huffett, Kenneth	Teppenish, Wash.
Reese, Robert W.	Collins, Mo.
Spencer, Ferril	Milin, Wyo.
Wiggins, Powell W.	Winnetka, Mo.
Alcorn, James R.	Leroy, Ark.
Loft, Thomas E.	Highland, Kansas
Baker, Jones	Pawnee, Mo.
Bennie, James H.	Ozark, Oklahoma
Berry, Cecil A.	Luxemb, Ark.
Berry, George A.	Ha-falls, Ark.
Bingert, Nicholas	Hobson, N.D.
Bolted, Henry E.	Welbeck, N.D.
Brantley, Garthel C.	Emporia, Ark.
Brown, Ray L.	Hope, Ark.
Brown, Stanley M.	Nola, Kansas
Burgess, Ralph	Eufora, Ark.
Patrick, John H.	Whit. Cloud, Kansas
Griffin, Harry L.	Atkinson, Kansas
Cook, Billy K.	Hetfield, Ark.
Cook, Kenneth N.	Tyron, Ark.
Conner, Arden D.	Cappe, Ark.
Crain, Harold W.	Monteville, Mo.
Davis, Delia L.	Fouke, Ark.
Dawson, Warren W.	Cash, Ark.
Dennis, James A.	North Little Rock, Ark.
Dent, Gus D.	Alicia, Ark.
Dubord, Lawrence A.	Hickson, N.D.

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Erb, Louis	Olden, Mo.
Evans, Raymond C.	Urich, Mo.
Floyd, Curtis C.	Cove, Ark.
Garrett, Carl	Datto, Ark.
Garten, Clyde G.	Hopkins, Mo.
George, Pete L.	Vandervoort, Ark.
Gibson, John W.	Pettigrew, Ark.
Graves, Louis E.	Sheridan, Ark.
Gwathney, Walter B.	Palestine, Ark.
Hancock, Guy C.	Newport, Ark.
Harris, Bert H.	Arcadia, Kansas
Haverlick, Nick N.	Fairfield, N.D.
Hendrickson, Leo T.	Osceola, Mo.
Hicks, John H.	Lenoke, Ark.
Higginbottom, H. Warren	Hatton, Ark.
Higgins, Herman L.	Rich Hill, Mo.
Hittson, Thurman R.	Green Forest, Ark.
Holder, Layton S.	Ravenden, Ark.
Hough, Roy E.	Rich Hill, Mo.
Howard, Andrew L.	Hamburg, Ark.
Huddleston, George N.	Nashville, Ark.
Hughes, Roy C.	Fouke, Ark.
Isaacs, Delford	Oran, Mo.
Isabell, Orvil E.	Swifton, Ark.
Jackson, Clifford C.	Ward, Ark.
Jenkins, JT	Crossett, Ark.
Johnson, Clark J.	Quitman, Ark.
Jones, Herbert D.	Ft. Scott, Kansas
Justice, Harry R.	Richards, Mo.
Kennedy, George D.	Harwood, Mo.
Kirby, Norman	Bell City, Mo.
Knox, Robert M.	Hamilton, Mo.
LaVasseur, Earl L.	Mott, N.D.
Leet, Walter	Ellendale, N.D.
Leigh, Marvin T.	Fullerton, N.D.
Leintz, Valentine	Hague, N.D.
Lindsey, Mervin C.	Reeder, N.D.
Lummus, William H.	Dodridge, Ark.
Madden, Herschel C.	Fouke, Ark.
McCarty, Chester J.	Dutton, Ark.
McCarty, Lloyd M.	Vallejo, California
McCleskey, William F.	Mena, Ark.
McIntosh, Elmer	Macomb, Mo.
Miller, Coy M.	Lenoke, Ark.
Minner, Eugene	St. Louis, Mo.
Moffitt, Stephen	Meriden, Kansas
Mooney, Shelburne L.	Payen, Ark.
Morgan, Charles P.	Holton, Kansas
Morgan, Max D.	Montreal, Mo.
Neal, Anderson B.	Tuckerman, Ark.
Nelson, Donald E.	Pocatello, Idaho
O'Bryan, Richard I.	St. Paul, Kansas

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Oyer, Ray E.	Nevada, Mo.
Penka, Ludwig H.	Larned, Kansas
Pladsen, Eugene E.	Scranton, N.D.
Pledger, James C.	Portland, Ark.
Podoll, Orville	Jud, N.D.
Porter, Kenneth R.	Portland, Ark.
Porter, Lawrence R.	Boston, Ark.
Preston, Ruben J.	Fouke, Ark.
Quanme, Marvin P.	Bucyrus, N.D.
Rainwater, Virgil P.	Morrilton, Ark.
Rector, Carl J.	Lamar, Mo.
Redding, Eugene E.	Mena, Ark.
Reid, Elyot E.	Nashville, Ark.
Reniker, Robert	Conway Springs, Kan.
Richey, Noble G.	Eaton, Ark.
Riggle, Richard A.	Mena, Ark.
Riley, James A.	Hamburg, Ark.
Roberts, Derwood A.	Fountain Hill, Ark.
Robinson, Coleman A.	Texarkana, Ark.
Russell, William T.	Pitts, Ark.
Salsman, Harrison	Linn Creek, Mo.
Sanders, Joe M.	Scotts, Ark.
Sanders, Willard	Ruble, Ark.
Schantz, Casper	Mandan, N.D.
Scott, Ray C.	Naylor, Mo.
Severson, Lloyd B.	Leonard, N.D.
Shaw, Verner C.	Swiftson, Ark.
Simmons, Earl	Dwitt, Ark.
Slayton, Willis A.	Walnut Ridge, Ark.
Sledd, Charles H.	Amaret, Mo.
Smith, Benjamin C.	Texarkana, Ark.
Smith, Roy B.	Lesterville, Mo.
Spotts, Joe G.	Lauratown, Ark.
Story, Hubert C.	Grannis, Ark.
Streeter, Author W.	Montrose, Ark.
Sutton, Clyde F.	Torch, Mo.
Swanson, Myron C.	Fargo, N.D.
Swoopes, Ben R.	Hartville, Mo.
Taylor, Cleo	Hinturn, Ark.
Thames, Felix C.	Grannis, Ark.
Tinney, Cornelius L.	Augusta, Kansas
Treadway, George A.	Mena, Ark.
Tregg, Edward L.	Oakley, Kansas
Turner, Robert H.	Montrose, Ark.
Ulland, Alvin K.	Portland, N.D.
Wall, Clyde R.	Green Forest, Ark.
Ward, Nelson T.	Therney, Ark.
Warford, Winford W.	Combe, Ark.
Warren, James D.	Monticello, Ark.
Warren, Wilbur	Morrilton, Ark.

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Watts, Edward E.	Rulo, Nebraska
Watts, Glen R.	Revenden, Ark.
Wilkie, Charles A.	Fort Yates, N.D.
Williams, Harold A.	Texarkana, Ark.
Wood, Herman C.	Berryman, Mo.
Wyatt, Paul C.	Minturn, Ark.
York, Thomas E.	Selfridge, N.D.
Young, Arlis	Leola, Ark.
Young, Zane L.	Winona, Mo.

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Depression-Era Camp Brings Back Memories For Utah CCC Worker

By Robert Kirby
SPECIAL TO THE TRIBUNE

AMERICAN FORK CANYON — Fifty years after he participated in constructing the first Civilian Conservation Corps camp in Utah, Merland Grant, 83, of American Fork, returned to Granite Flat to help dedicate the site as a Uinta National Forest Service campground.

On Wednesday, Grant and Forest Service officials cut the ribbon that reopened Granite Flat campgrounds in American Fork Canyon after it was closed two years ago for rehabilitation.

More than 1,300 volunteers worked on the project which significantly increased the size of the campground and cost more than \$800,000.

For Grant, the ceremony was a time to reminisce on a part of American history that few remember anymore. "The CCC never stayed in one place too long," he said. "But I remember this place. I worked here putting in phone lines."

The Forest Service honored the contribution of Grant and other men of the CCC by naming individual Granite Flat campsites with odd-sounding monikers as "Sandwagon" and "Handshaker," words taken directly from CCC slang. According to Forest Service archaeologist Charmaine Thompson, "sandwagon" was CCC slang for wheelbarrow while "handshaker" was a derogatory term for workers who tried to curry favor with CCC officers.

"This [the CCC] was a whole culture itself," said Thompson. "They even had their own language."

In 1932, President Franklin D. Roosevelt created the CCC as part of his "New Deal." With more than 15 million American men were out of work following the

stock market collapse in 1929, the Corps was designed to give young men paying skills that would benefit the public.

The Corps enrolled unemployed single men from 17 to 25 years old, who were U.S. citizens. Average enrollment was for two years. Workers earned \$30 a month.

They lived in temporary camps that consisted of barracks, workshops, a mess hall, lavatories and a library. Some lived in "spike camps," tent camps that were close to the work being done. The food was hearty, the work grueling.

Grant remembers that he had to decide between the CCC and serving an LDS mission. At a time when many Americans were going hungry, the choice was simple: the CCC job earned money while the LDS mission cost money.

"My dad joined me up in the CC," Grant said. "I spent two years and never regretted it. We worked hard and we got a lot done."

The CCC literally changed the face of Utah. In addition to Granite Flat, CCC workers also built dams and trails, planted trees and ground cover, killed insects and rodents, and fought erosion and forest fires. The effects of their work can still be seen today in the trails and erosion barriers high in the mountains.

During the CCC's 12-year existence, the federal government pumped \$52 million into Utah's impoverished economy. At the time, the CCC ranked third as a source of income in Utah, coming in behind only mining and farming.

Of the 40,000 CCC workers in Utah, more than 40% of them came from out of state, mainly from the east. Some eventually married local women and settled in Utah.